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MINUTES OF THE REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING OF THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE
COMMISSION HELD IN ITS OFFICES ON JULY 13, 2010

Commission Chairman Orjiakor N. Isiogu called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.
Executive Secretary Mary Jo Kunkle called the roll and declared there was a quorum.

PRESENT

Commission: Orjiakor N. Isiogu, Chairman
Monica Martinez, Commissioner
Greg R. White, Commissioner

Staff: Margaret Wallin
Judy Palnau
Mary Jo Kunkle
Catherine Bowers

Public: Mark Williamson, DTE Energy
Tim Bloch, DTE Energy
Robin Gleason, AT&T
Mark Ortlieb, AT&T
Jerry Crandall, MIRS
Mike Ashton, Fraser Law Firm
Kwafo Adarkwa, ITC Holdings
Beverly Roberts, Consumers Energy
Saudia Santure, Consumers Energy
Suzy Denison, MEGA
Tim Hoffman, Consumers Energy

- I.** Commissioner Martinez moved to approve today's agenda, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The agenda was approved.

- II.** Commissioner Martinez moved to approve the minutes of the Regular Commission Meeting of July 1, 2010, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The minutes were approved.

III. ORDERS

A. COMMUNICATIONS

1. U-16394 US SIGNAL COMPANY, LLC, d/b/a RVP FIBER CO. v MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY, d/b/a AT&T MICHIGAN

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adopt and issue order dated July 13, 2010 which involves a motion under MCL 484.2353a filed by US Signal Company, LLC, d/b/a RVP Fiber Co., for a Commission determination that AT&T Michigan must comply with the Commission's determination in a previous arbitration in Case No. U-15788 that an interconnecting carrier may extend its current interconnection agreement for up to three years from the date of the request within the 42-month window for requesting the extension created by the Federal Communications Commission in its order granting AT&T Inc., AT&T Michigan's parent company, authority to merge with Bell South Corp. The order before you determines that no relitigation of this issue is appropriate, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The order was adopted.

B. ELECTRIC

1. U-15856 DAGGETT ELECTRIC DEPARTMENT
(renewable energy plan)

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adopt and issue order dated July 13, 2010 which involves a motion by Daggett Electric Department to extend the filing deadline for the renewable energy plan annual report by 14 days to July 14, 2010. The order before you grants the motion, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The order was adopted.

2. U-16180 INDIANA MICHIGAN POWER COMPANY
(self implementation)

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adopt and issue order dated July 13, 2010 which involves an application filed by Indiana Michigan Power Company for authority to increase its rates for the generation and distribution of electricity and for other relief. The order before you addresses the company's self-implementation of a rate increase, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The order was adopted.

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3. U-16191 CONSUMERS ENERGY COMPANY
(self implementation)

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adopt and issue order dated July 13, 2010 which involves an application filed by Consumers Energy Company for authority to increase its rates for the generation and distribution of electricity and for other relief. The order before you addresses the company's self-implementation of a rate increase, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The order was adopted.

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4. U-16314 NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY
(EO plan reconciliation)

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adopt and issue order dated July 13, 2010 which involves an application filed by Northern States Power Company, a Wisconsin corporation and wholly owned subsidiary of Xcel Energy, Inc., to reconcile its energy optimization plan revenues and payments for the period ended December 31, 2009, and revise alternative compliance payments for the year 2011. The order before you approves a settlement agreement resolving all issues in the case, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The order was adopted.

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5. U-16346 ALPENA POWER COMPANY
(EO plan reconciliation)

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adopt and issue order dated July 13, 2010 which involves an application by Alpena Power Company for approval of its energy optimization cost reconciliation for the 12-month period ended December 31, 2009, and approval of its energy optimization forecast for calendar year 2011. The order before you approves a settlement agreement resolving all issues in the case, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The order was adopted.

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6. U-16362 WISCONSIN PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATION
(EO plan reconciliation)

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adopt and issue order dated July 13, 2010 which involves an application filed by Wisconsin Public Service Corporation to reconcile its energy optimization plan costs and revenues for the six-month period ended December 31, 2009, revise gas EO surcharges, and revise electric and gas alternative compliance payments for the year 2011. The order before you approves a settlement agreement resolving all issues in the case, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The order was adopted.

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C. GAS

1. U-16194 WASHINGTON 10 STORAGE CORPORATION
(tariffs)

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adopt and issue order dated July 13, 2010 which involves an application by Washington 10 Storage Corporation for *ex parte* approval of various tariff revisions. The order before you approves the revised tariffs, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The order was adopted.

2. U-16225 GREGORY J. REED v MICHIGAN CONSOLIDATED GAS
COMPANY AND DTE ENERGY COMPANY

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adopt and issue order dated July 13, 2010 which involves the complaint of Gregory J. Reed against Michigan Consolidated Gas Company and DTE Energy Company. The order before you dismisses the complaint with prejudice, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The order was adopted.

3. U-16293 SEMCO ENERGY GAS COMPANY
(EO plan reconciliation)

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adopt and issue order dated July 13, 2010 which involves an application by SEMCO Energy Gas Company to reconcile its 2009 energy optimization plan revenues and expenses for the 2009 calendar year. The order before you approves a settlement agreement and approves revised energy optimization surcharges for bills rendered on and after August 1, 2010, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The order was adopted.

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IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

Chairman Isiogu announced that the next regularly scheduled Commission Meeting will be held on July 27, 2010.

Commissioner Martinez moved that the Commission adjourn, Commissioner White seconded.

Vote: Yeas – Isiogu, Martinez, White
Nays – None

The motion was approved.

The meeting adjourned at 1:40 p.m.

Mary Jo Kunkle
Executive Secretary